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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Mr. Charles Terreni Chief Clerk of the Commission The Public Service Commission State of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210 (803) 896-5100

RE: Budget Phone, Incorporated

Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") Docket No. 2005-219-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

On behalf of Budget Phone, Incorporated, please accept this letter as an Amendment to Budget Phone, Incorporated's Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") in certain BellSouth, Sprint and Verizon exchanges ("Designated Area"). We respectfully request to amend the Petition to limit the Designated Area to BellSouth and Verizon exchanges, and to specifically exclude Sprint exchanges.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope. Please call me at 770-232-9200 or e-mail me at lsteinhart@telecomcounsel.com if I can provide any additional information or assistance with this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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